Notice dated 22nd August 1903.

Under Section 40 of the Forest Regulation of 1900.

Tha undermentioned drift log which was found in the Kabani river and which has been dragged out of the river is now lying in the Nanjangud Depôt. Person claiming the same may present to the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, within a month from this date, a written statement of such claim, failing which the ownership of the timber shall vest in the Government free from all encumbrances.

2. The person or persons entitled to recover possession of the timber will be required to pay to the Forest Officer such sum as may be due for solving and storing the same:—

Serial No.	Kind of timber.	Marks etc., on the log.	Length.	Girth.	Cubical contents.
			Ft. in.	Ft.	Ft.
1	Teak log ...	Stamp mark "sold" in three places with the stamp mark "V."	13 5	6	30

C. APPAIYA, *Dt. Forest Officer, Mysore Dt.*

The attention of the public is invited to the notification regarding the sale of tangadi and kakké barks, published on page 990, Part II of the *Mysore Gazette* No. 33, dated 20th August 1903.

Y. SITARAMAIYA,
Dt. Forest Officer, Hassan Dt.

COORG FOREST DEPARTMENT.

ANNUAL TIMBER SALES.

Notice dated Mercara, 24th June 1903.

Tenders will be received up to 15th October 1903, for the following quantities of timber felled and logged departmentally in the forests of the Cauvery, Hatgat and Mawkal Ranges at fixed rates varying with locality which may be obtained on application to the undersigned:—

Teak	33,000 c.ft.
Rosewood (Biti)	8,000 ,,
Pterocarpus marsupium (Honné)	23,000 ,,
Terminalia tomentosa (Matti)	18,000 ,,
Lagerstroenia microcarpa (Nandi)	9,000 ,,

2. Every tender for 3,000 c.ft. or upwards must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, covers containing tenders should be addressed to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Coorg, Mercara, and duly registered and superscribed "Tender for Timber."

3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests will be at Periyapatam on the 15th October 1903 for the purpose of allotting timber amongst tenderers, who are recommended to be present or be represented by duly accredited agents on the occasion, when the locality of logs or other information relating to accepted tenders may be obtained.

4. The Deputy Conservator of Forests does not bind himself to allot timber for the whole or any portion of any tender, and he is at liberty to dispose of the whole or any portion of the supply available, previous to allotment, should this course prove to be advantageous in the interests of Government.

5. In the interests of fire conservancy the forests will be closed against the removal of timber in the fire season, which, it may be stated for the information of intending purchasers, is generally a period varying from 6 weeks to two months commencing from about the middle of February; but which is liable to be reduced or extended according to the character of the season. Certain depôts in or adjoining the forests will, however, be set apart and remain open throughout the whole of this period for the removal of timber for the convenience of those purchasers who may choose to collect timber therein in order to avoid the inconvenience of an interruption of their transport operations during the fire season.

6. The rates and conditions of sale are regulated by Notification No. 19, dated 23rd April 1903 of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, for copy of which or further information apply to the undersigned.

C. MCCARTHY, *Dy. Conservator of Forests, Coorg.*